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Re : U.S. Application No.: 09/945,524  
Confirmation No.: 2677  
Applicant: Martin Robitaille  
Filed: September 4, 2001  
TC/A.U.: 1734  
Our docket No.: 07887-007

The following documents are enclosed :

Letter  
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Dear Mr. Koch:

Re :	U.S. Application No.:	09/945,524
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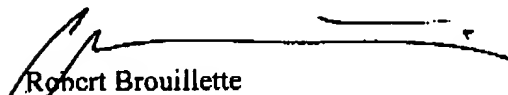
I refer you to your Office Action mailed November 23, 2004.

Could you please confirm to the undersigned that the action is not final as specified in the Office Action Summary which is in contradiction to the statement made at the bottom of page 15 of the Office Action. This appears to be the proper interpretation in view of the fact that this is our first amendment further to the filing of a request for continued examination.

Furthermore, the undersigned would like to discuss certain aspects of the Office Action with you but has not been able to reach you at any of the phone numbers indicated in the Office Action. Please communicate with the undersigned at : (514) 397-6900 at your convenience to discuss this matter.

Yours truly,

**BROUILLETTE & ASSOCIÉS**

  
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